

Remarks

Applicants request entry of the amendments and reexamination of the application.

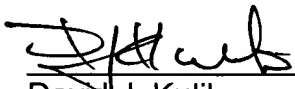
The amended claims reproduced in this Amendment and Response are identical to those in the Reply and Amendment filed June 14, 2004, except that claim 39 has been further amended as noted above.

The application is in condition for allowance. Timely notification of allowability is requested.

If there are any fees due with the filing of this document, including fees for the net addition of claims, applicants respectfully request that any and all fees be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1129. If any extension of time request or any petition is required for the entry of this paper or any of the accompanying papers, applicants hereby petition or request the extension necessary. The undersigned authorizes any fee payment required or necessary to keep this application pending from Deposit Account No. 50-1129.

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